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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant:** Spurr  
**Serial No.:** 10/803,553  
**Filed:** March 18, 2004  
**Group Art Unit:** 3676  
**Examiner:** Gary Estremsky  
**Title:** POWER OPERABLE LATCH THAT RELATCHES IN THE  
EVENT OF MOTOR FAILURE

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandra, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on February 28, 2005. Claims 1, 2, and 4-17 remain in this application. Claim 17 has been added, claim 3 has been cancelled and claims 1, 6, 15 and 16 have been amended. Please amend the application as follows.